

Reisman Lonny  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

|   |          |                                      |  |  |
|---|----------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * |          | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol                            |  |
| Â Reisman Lonny                           |          | (Month/Day/Year)                     | AETNA INC /PA/ [AET]   |  |
| (Last)                                    | (First)  | (Middle)                             | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                       | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
|   |          | 11/12/2008                           |  |  |
| AETNA INC.,Â 151 FARMINGTON AVENUE        |          |                                      | (Check all applicable)   |  |
|   | (Street) |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Director                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner                   |
|   |          |                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                       |
|   |          |                                      | (give title below)   | (specify below)                                      |
|   |          |                                      | SVP, Chief Medical Officer   |  |
| HARTFORD,Â CTÂ 06156                      |          |                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)             |  |
| (City)                                    | (State)  | (Zip)                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person |  |
|   |          |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |  |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 49,000  | D  | Â   |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|
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|                          | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Amount or Number of Shares |        |           | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------|-----------|----------------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option    | Â (1)            | 05/27/2015      | Common Stock               | 72,000 | \$ 39.045 | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units   | Â (2)            | 06/30/2009      | Common Stock               | 3,006  | \$ 0 (3)  | D                          | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units   | Â (4)            | 02/09/2010      | Common Stock               | 3,066  | \$ 0 (3)  | D                          | Â |
| Stock Appreciation Right | Â (5)            | 06/30/2016      | Common Stock               | 21,314 | \$ 39.93  | D                          | Â |
| Stock Appreciation Right | Â (6)            | 02/09/2017      | Common Stock               | 21,480 | \$ 42.57  | D                          | Â |
| Stock Appreciation Right | Â (7)            | 02/08/2018      | Common Stock               | 27,614 | \$ 50.7   | D                          | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                              |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                      | Other |
| Reisman Lonny<br>AETNA INC.<br>151 FARMINGTON AVENUE<br>HARTFORD, CT 06156 | Â             | Â         | Â SVP, Chief Medical Officer | Â     |

## Signatures

Lonny Reisman by Judith H. Jones,  
Attorney-in-Fact

11/14/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) 36,000 options currently exercisable. Remaining 36,000 options are exercisable on December 31, 2008.
- (2) Vests on June 30, 2009.
- (3) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a right to receive one share of Aetna Inc. Common Stock net of taxes.
- (4) Vests in two annual installments beginning February 9, 2009.
- (5) Exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning June 30, 2007.
- (6) Exercisable in three annual installments beginning February 9, 2008.
- (7) Exercisable in three annual installments beginning February 8, 2009.

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